HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES THE TWENTY-SIXTH LEGISLATURE **REGULAR SESSION OF 2011**

RECEIVED

COMMITTEE ON HOUSING

ZOII FEB -4 ₱ 5: 30

Rep. Rida T.R. Cabanilla, Chair Rep. Pono Chong, Vice Chair

SERGEANT-AT-ARMS HOUSE OF

Rep. Mele Carroll

Rep. Ken Ito

REPRESENTATIVES

Rep. Jerry L. Chang Rep. Denny Coffman Rep. Hermina M. Morita Rep. Mark M. Nakashima

Rep. Kymberly Marcos Pine

Rep. Sharon E. Har Rep. Robert N. Herkes

Rep. Cynthia Thielen

NOTICE OF HEARING

DATE:

Wednesday, February 09, 2011

TIME:

8:30 a.m.

PLACE:

Conference Room 325

State Capitol

415 South Beretania Street

<u>AGENDA</u>

HB 1075

RELATING TO FAIR HOUSING REASONABLE

HSG, JUD

Status

ACCOMMODATIONS.

Makes the reasonable accommodations provisions in state fair housing

law consistent with federal Fair Housing Act case law and

interpretations.

HB 753

RELATING TO HOMELESS PROGRAMS.

HSG, FIN

Status

Requires department of human services, in consultation with the counties and any interested private homeless assistance programs, to develop temporary nighttime parking lots to provide safe overnight locations for homeless individuals who would otherwise sleep in their

motor vehicles on public or private roads or property.

HB 430 Status |

MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE HOMELESS

HSG, FIN

PROGRAMS OFFICE.

Restores funding for positions for the homeless programs office of the

department of human services.

HB 1303

RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING.

HSG, FIN

Status

Authorizes the Hawaii public housing authority to assess a fee to all units for community facility maintenance. Requires minimum rent schedule for housing projects and annual Consumer Price Index adjustments of minimum rent. Requires reimbursement for the cost of

repairs to a unit.

HB 39

RELATING TO INTOXICATING LIQUORS.

HSG, JUD

<u>Status</u>

Prohibits open alcoholic beverage containers on any common area of a

public housing project.

HB 46

RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING.

HSG, JUD

Status 5 4 1

Prohibits smoking in and around public housing projects or state lowincome housing projects under the jurisdiction of the Hawaii public



housing authority.

HB 754 RELATING TO PUBLIC HOUSING. HSG, FIN Requires the Hawaii public housing authority to establish a minimum **Status** rent schedule. Requires a minimum monthly rent of \$250 for state lowincome housing units and annual adjustment of minimum rent based upon the national average wage index. Prohibits preferences for tenant selection. RELATING TO HOUSING POLICY. HB 898 HSG, FIN Extends the lapse date of funds appropriated from the emergency and Status budget reserve fund for the housing first pilot program to December 31, 2011. The legislature appropriated the funds for the program pursuant to Act 191, Session Laws of Hawaii 2010. RELATING TO PLANNED COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS. HB 69 HSG, JUD Prohibits planned community associations from disallowing a Status member's or a member's bona fide tenant's house-mounted display of the United States and State of Hawaii flags provided the display meets size restrictions. Requires the display to be at the front of the dwelling and in accordance with state and federal law. RELATING TO PLANNED COMMUNITY ASSOCIATIONS. HB 1468 HSG, JUD Provides that planned community associations may not prohibit Status members from displaying the United States or Hawaii flag. Permits reasonable time, place, and manner restrictions on flag displays but prohibits assessment of a fee to approve the display. HB 308 RELATING TO HOUSING. **HSG** Status Creates a temporary moratorium on lease to fee conversions on affordable rental housing. HB 309 RELATING TO HOUSING. **HSG** In areas where there are height restrictions, allows for a waiver of the Status variance application requirement in exchange for 20% affordable rental units. HB 310 RELATING TO HOUSING. **HSG Status** Amends the Hawaii Revised Statutes relating to housing. RELATING TO HOUSING. **HSG** HB 311 Amends the Hawaii Revised Statutes relating to housing Status **DECISION MAKING TO FOLLOW** DECISION MAKING ONLY HB 1119 RELATING TO MORTGAGE FORECLOSURES. HSG, CPC, FIN Requires remainder of proceeds following a foreclosure sale to be paid Status to the previous mortgagor of the foreclosed property or to the unclaimed property trust fund.

RELATING TO HOUSING. HB 1306 Status

HSG, FINHB 310

Requires review of all persons or businesses who qualified for a tax Status

exemption for affordable housing projects certified by the Hawaii housing finance and development corporation, with a second review by

Hearing HSG 02-09-11 1

the department of taxation. Requires an annual report to the legislature.

Persons wishing to offer comments should submit testimony at least 24 hours prior to the hearing with a transmittal cover indicating:

- · Testifier's name with position/title and organization;
- The Committee the comments are directed to;
- The date and time of the hearing;
- · Measure number: and
- The number of copies the Committee is requesting.

While every effort will be made to copy, organize, and collate all testimony received, materials received on the day of the hearing or improperly identified or directed to the incorrect office, may be distributed to the Committee after the hearing.

Submit testimony in ONE of the following ways:

PAPER: 14 copies (including an original) to Room 404 in the State Capitol;

FAX: For comments less than 5 pages in length, transmit to 586-9496 (for Oahu) or 1-800-535-3859 (for Neighbor

Islanders without a computer to submit testimony through e-mail or the Web);

EMAIL: For comments less than 5 pages in length, transmit to HSGtestimony@capitol.hawaii.gov; or

WEB: For comments less than 4MB in size, transmit from the Web page at http://www.capitol.hawaii.gov/emailtestimony.

Testimony submitted will be placed on the Legislative Web site after the hearing adjourns. This public posting of testimony on the Web site should be considered when including personal information in your testimony.

If you require special assistance or auxiliary aids and/or services to participate in the House public hearing process (i.e., sign or foreign language interpreter or wheelchair accessibility), please contact the Committee Clerk at 586-6606 or email your request for an interpreter to HouseInterpreter@Capitol.hawaii.gov at least 24 hours prior to the hearing for arrangements. Prompt requests submitted help to ensure the availability of qualified individuals and appropriate accommodations.

Selected meetings are broadcast live. Check the current legislative broadcast schedule on the "Capitol TV" Web site at www.capitoltv.org OR call 536-2100.

Rep/Rida T.R. Cabanilla

Hearing HSG 02-09-11 1